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**UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA**

*June 4, 1993*

*School of Public Health*

*Commencement*

*Candidates for Degrees*

## ORDER OF EVENTS

*Processional:*

*At 7:30 p.m., Lester Block, DDS, MPH*

*Welcoming Remarks:*

*Patricia Todd, Student Senate President*

*Speaking for the Health Sciences:*

*Cherie Perlmutter, Associate Vice President*

*Speaking for the School of Public Health:*

*Stephen C. Joseph, MD, MPH, Dean*

*Announcement of the President's Leadership and Service Award:*

*Stephen C. Joseph, MD, MPH, Dean, awarded to  
Patricia Todd, Student Senate President*

*Presentation of the Minnesota Public Health Association Student  
Achievement Award:*

*Stephen C. Joseph, MD, MPH, Dean, presenting to  
Daniel Garth Osborn, Public Health Administration*

*Presentation of the Jacob E. Bearman Student Achievement Award in  
Biostatistics:*

*Thomas A. Louis, PhD, Division Head, presenting to  
Ivan Siu-Fung Chan, Biostatistics*

*Announcement of the Richard G. Bond Scholarship Award:*

*Ian A. Greaves, MD, Division Head, Environmental and  
Occupational Health, awarded to John Marx,  
Environmental Health*

*Presentation of the Herbert M. Bosch Award:*

*Ian A. Greaves, MD, Division Head, Environmental and  
Occupational Health, presenting to David Muhovich,  
Environmental Health*

*Presentation of the Ruth Stief Chair Award:*

*Mary T. Story, PhD, Chair, Public Health Nutrition Major,  
presenting to Mary Gregg, Public Health Nutrition*

*Presentation of the Lester Breslow Scholar Award:*

*Russell V. Luepker, MD, Division Head, Epidemiology, presenting  
to Jill Elnicki, Community Health Education,  
and James Pankow, Epidemiology*

*Presentation of the Betty J. Hallstrom Memorial Award:*

*Vernon E. Weckwerth, PhD, Health Management and Policy,  
presenting to Mary Senta, Maternal and Child Health*

*Presentation of Delta Omega Society Memberships:*

*Leonard M. Schuman, MD, National President, Delta Omega,  
presenting graduate membership to:*

*Teresa McCabe - Biostatistics*

*Michelle Scullard - Community Health Education*

*Anton Briefer - Environmental Health*

*Polly Dubbel - Environmental Health*

*Angela Kopfer - Environmental Health*

*Jennifer O'Flaherty - Epidemiology*

*Lorna Seybolt - Epidemiology*

*Michael Dean Bah - Health Services Administration*

*Jody Rogers - Health Services Research, Policy  
and Administration*

*Joyce Dombrowski - Hospital and Healthcare Administration*

*Laura Kreofsky - Hospital and Healthcare Administration*

*Mary Roll - Hospital and Healthcare Administration*

*Janet Sillman - Hospital and Healthcare Administration*

*Sara Brenner - Maternal and Child Health*

*Susan Olivia Mastry - Public Health Administration*

*Sarah Williams - Public Health Nutrition*

*Introduction of Commencement Speaker:*

*Edith D. Leyasmeyer, MPPH, PhD, Associate Dean*

*Commencement Address:*

*'Erin's Eyes'*

*Michael T. Osterholm, MPPH, PhD*

*Chief, Acute Disease Epidemiology*

*Minnesota Department of Health*

*Presentation of the Candidates for Degrees:*

*Stephen C. Joseph, MD, MPPH, Dean, and*

*James R. Boen, PhD, Associate Dean*

*Conferring of Degrees:*

*The Honorable Julie A. Bleyhl, Regent*

*University of Minnesota*

*Concluding Remarks:*

*Patricia Todd, Student Senate President*

*School of Public Health  
University of Minnesota*

*Students who have completed or will complete requirements for  
MPH, MHA, MS, or PhD degrees in School of Public Health  
majors from Fall Quarter 1992 through  
Second Summer Session 1993 are as follows:*

*Biostatistics*

*Jonathan Bailey, MS  
Gladys Chun-Lin Chan, MS  
Ivan Siu-Fung Chan, MS  
Marta Cody, MS  
Peng Ding, MPH  
Barbara Franchino, MS  
Gerald Gates, MS  
Zhengyu Guo, MS  
Jeng Mah, MS  
Teresa McCabe, MS  
David McKenzie, MS  
Jolie Palensky, MS*

*Community Health Education*

*Joann Arneberg, MPH  
Jill Elnicki, MPH  
Sharon Farsh, MPH  
Christine Kwong, MPH  
Amy Okaya, MPH  
Jacqueline Reising, MPH  
Michelle Scullard, MPH  
Lynn Yamanaka, MPH*

*Environmental Health*

*Anne Alfred, MPH  
Anton Briefer, MS  
Daniel Bryant, MPH  
Dorothy Buglione, MS  
Timothy Burkhardt, MPH  
Tracey Chabala, MPH*

*Jeffrey Dalhoff, MPH  
Diane Dembosky, MPH  
Polly Dubbel, MPH  
Lisa Dunning, MPH  
Abraham Eskenazi, MPH  
Christine Gabel, MS  
Frank Gilliland, PhD  
David Gray, PhD  
Heather Hammond, MPH  
Lisa Herschberger, MPH  
Michael Holmes, MS  
Patricia King, MS  
Angela Kopfer, MPH  
Karen Larson, MPH  
John Marx, MPH  
Susan Max, MPH  
Timothy McGraw, MS  
Daniel Northrop, MS  
Roger Pearson, MS  
Michael Pirner, MS  
Mingwei Qian, PhD  
George Renison, MPH  
Cecilia Roberts, MPH  
Shiela Ugargol-Keefe, MS  
Shana Vickers, MPH  
Mark Werner, MS  
Catherine Zimmer-Lokken, MS*

Epidemiology

Kristine Bisgard, MPH  
Elise Brodin, MPH  
Robert Brown, MPH  
Mark Butterbrodt, MPH  
Laurel Descher, PhD  
Jacqueline Ekstrum, MPH  
Diana Fernandez, MPH  
Gary Gackstetter, PhD  
Wendy Hellerstedt, PhD  
Steven Kelder, PhD  
Maire MacBride, MPH  
Carol Palmer McPherson, MPH  
Corinne Miller, PhD  
Wendy Mills, MPH  
Joseph Moriarity, MPH  
Faryle Nothwehr, MPH  
Jennifer O'Flaherty, MPH  
James Pankow, MPH  
Alison Peterson, MPH  
Kevin Peterson, MPH  
David Radosevich, PhD  
Ann Rinehart, MPH  
Brenda Rooney, PhD  
Wayne Rosamond, PhD  
Pamela Sakkinen, MPH  
Lorna Seybolt, MPH  
Beth Virnig, PhD  
Songlin Xue, PhD  
Mark Yeazel, MPH

Health Services Administration

Michael Bah, MPH  
Carol Burtch-Rudderham, MPH  
Lynn Donek, MPH  
Cynthia Eichman, MPH  
Mary Ferguson-Pare, MPH  
George Glines, MPH  
Bonnie Henningson, MPH  
Lynn Hubbard, MPH  
Kay Kratochwill, MPH  
Marcia Potter, MPH  
Theresa Schneider, MPH  
Hwei-Yuen Tzou, MPH

Health Services Research, Policy  
and Administration

Alan Friedlob, PhD  
Kassem Kassak, PhD  
Janet Porter, PhD  
Jody Rogers, PhD

Hospital and Healthcare  
Administration

Loretta Baehr, MHA  
Matthew Bailey, MHA  
Jeffrey Bard, MHA  
Craig Bass, MHA  
Gary Bezucha, MHA  
Brian Bieber, MHA  
Mei-Ching Chou, MHA  
Joyce Dombrowski, MHA  
Jane Dutton, MHA  
Cynthia Engelking, MHA  
Jeffrey Friedman, MHA  
Amy Fryklund, MHA  
Nancy Giunta, MHA  
Kristi Hanson, MHA  
Bridget Hayes, MHA  
Denise Hill, MHA  
Pamela Ivester, MHA  
Laurie Jacobson, MHA  
Christopher Karam, MHA  
Diane Keller, MHA  
Randall Kelley, MHA  
Patricia Klear, MHA  
Laura Kreofsky, MHA  
Nancy Kuelz, MHA  
Jeb Lee, MHA  
Charles Lehn, MHA  
Goncal Lloveras, MHA  
Richard Mackesy, MHA  
Philip Manz, MHA  
Michael Mark, MHA  
Patricia Owen, MHA  
Samuel Pleshar, MHA  
John Rieke, MHA  
Mary Roll, MHA  
Rená Roovers, MHA  
LeAnn Rundberg, MHA  
Roger Schuler, MHA  
Janet Sillman, MHA

Joseph Smith, MHA  
Bradley Solberg, MHA  
Trent Sterling, MHA  
Michelle Swensen, MHA  
Dwight Thompson, MHA  
Sally Wahman, MHA  
Anita Westbrook, MHA  
June Winterfeldt, MHA  
Geok-Lan Yap, MHA  
Pamela Zoeller, MHA

Interdisciplinary Studies  
Jill Swan, MPH

Maternal and Child Health

Lynn Bathke, MPH  
Annette Foss, MPH  
Karen Lindberg, MPH  
Theresa Lundquist, MPH  
Julie Ramirez, MPH  
Susan Rode, MPH  
Sue Scott, MPH  
Mary Senta, MPH  
Dolores Ullstrom, MPH

Public Health Administration

Walter Argueta, MPH  
John Cody, MPH  
Gordon Girtz, MPH  
Jose Gomez, MPH  
Margaret Lindberg, MPH  
Susan Olivia Mastry, MPH  
Mary Anne Mbali, MPH  
Susan Moore Browder, MPH  
Pamela Nelms, MPH  
Daniel Garth Osborn, MPH  
Mary Ottman, MPH  
Roxanne Ruid, MPH  
Patricia Todd, MPH  
Therese Zink, MPH

Public Health Nutrition

Teresa Aberle, MPH  
Kathryn Backes, MPH  
Debbie Bjorsness, MPH  
Dawn Erickson, MPH  
Gretchen Forsell, MPH  
Lorie Gemmill, MPH  
Marcia Hayes, MPH  
Susan Horne, MPH  
Amy Jesaitis, MPH  
Katherine Lust, MPH  
Sandra McIntosh, MPH  
Sandra Myrick, MPH  
Jean O'Leary, MPH  
Karna Peterson, MPH  
Janice Piper, MPH  
Anne Warner, MPH  
Caroline Webber, MPH  
Sarah Williams, MPH  
Krista Zuehlsdorff, MPH

Commencement Reception:

All graduates and their guests are invited to the reception which immediately follows the ceremony.

## ACADEMIC DRESS

The academic costume worn today originated in the Middle Ages, when gowns and hoods kept scholars and clerics warm. The distinctive gown served to set the student apart from his fellow citizens, giving birth to the expression 'town and gown.' Until after the Civil War, students at most American universities wore caps and gowns daily. They varied in design until they were standardized by the American Intercollegiate Commission in 1894. At that time it was decided that all robes should be black; bachelor's gowns to be made of worsted material with pointed sleeves; master's gowns of silk with long, closed sleeves; doctor's gowns of silk with longer sleeves and faced with black velvet from hem to neck and back. They also carry three velvet bands around each sleeve above the elbow. Hoods are made of the same materials as the gowns, the length varying with the degree. The lining of the hood identifies the university by its colors. The border of the hood indicates the academic discipline in which the degree is earned:

- White: arts and letters, journalism*
- Scarlet: theology*
- Purple: law*
- Green: medicine*
- Dark blue: philosophy*
- Yellow: science*
- Brown: architecture, fine arts*
- Pink: music*
- Lilac: dentistry*
- Orange: engineering*
- Olive: pharmacy*
- Light brown: business*
- Lemon yellow: library science*
- Light blue: education*
- Peacock blue: international affairs*
- Citron yellow: social work*
- Salmon: public health*

The mortarboard cap is standard, though soft square-topped caps are permissible. Recipients of doctorates may wear a gold tassel fastened to the middle point of the top of the cap; School of Public Health graduates wear salmon.